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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Clayton Neil Cowgill

Title: **MEMORY EXPANSION FOR FORM-FACTOR CONSTRAINED  
PORTABLE AUDIO DEVICE**

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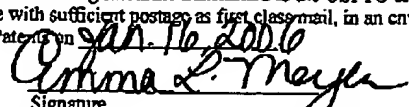
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**REPLY TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION  
AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed November 3, 2005, please reconsider the above-identified application in light of the following amendments and accompanying remarks.

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